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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of: **SEKINE, Norihiko**

Group Art Unit: 2811

Serial No.: 09/963,485 ✓

Examiner: **Donghee Kang**

Filed: **September 27, 2001** ✓

P.T.O. Confirmation No.: 9317

For: **SEMICONDUCTOR DEVICE AND MANUFACTURING METHOD THEREOF**

AMENDMENT UNDER 37 CFR §1.111

Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

July 14, 2003

Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated **March 13, 2003**, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

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